

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph 0034 on page 8 with the following amended paragraph:

[0034] In the system and method described herein, if a storage processor fails, the write operations corresponding to any write entries in the persistent fracture log may be for writes at different points of completion or corresponding to a write that occurred while a secondary image failed, link to secondary image failed, or through what is known interchangeably as a “user” or “software” fracture.

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